

Showers Tonight and Tomorrow

WILSON WINS SWEEPING VICTORY IN NEW JERSEY

FORMER SEN. SMITH BEATEN IN EVERY CO.

Vote Against Him Will Total at Least 20,000, Governor Wilson Elated.

Newark, N. J., Sept. 26.—That Governor Wilson won a sweeping victory in the New Jersey primaries was evident from the returns which sifted into Democratic headquarters here during the early hours of yesterday. In his fight to prevent the domination of United States Senator of former Senator James Smith, Jr., Governor Wilson carried the State by the plurality of nearly if not quite 20,000, winning in every county except one—that one being Essex, the stronghold of the Smith forces.

Returns from 511 of the 1,799 districts in the State gave Representative William Hughes, the Wilson candidate, 17,020 votes to 11,751 for Smith. Even Essex county, which includes the city of Newark, didn't pile up for Senator Smith the overwhelming vote which he had expected to receive from his neighbors and townspeople. With a few districts missing the vote of Essex showed Smith only 600 ahead of his opponent. On the other side was Hudson county with an indicated Hughes plurality of 8,000, and Mercer county, with a Hughes plurality of 1,600.

Favor Wilson's Policies.
The Morning Star, owned by Mr. Smith, conceded the election of Hughes at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. Judge Hughes later issued the following statement from his home in Paterson:
"The vote is an absolute expression of the people of New Jersey in favor of the policies of Governor Wilson. On this basis I submitted my candidacy to the people and then they supported me admirably. The victory of Woodrow Wilson seems now assured at the November election."

It is believed that practically all the Wilson candidates for nomination throughout the State, outside of Essex, were successful. All told, each party selected twelve candidates for Congress, sixty-six candidates for the State Legislature and many county and municipal officers.

Vote Was Light.
The vote was light all over the State, although leaders declared that this was due more to inclement weather than to lack of interest. On the Republican side the primaries were uneventful. Senator Frank O. Briggs received an uncontested endorsement.

The Progressive did not figure in the voting except in Hudson county, where they defeated the regular organization and nominated their candidates for Congress and for the State Legislature. In other sections of the State they will nominate their candidates by petition.

Pleased With Result in Jersey.
Governor Wilson was keenly pleased to read that early returns indicated a victory by William Hughes, whom he supported against James Smith, Jr., in the New Jersey primaries for United States Senator.

Rev. J. H. Warren left this afternoon for Morehead City and Hogs Island and other places in Eastern Carolina.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH PURCHASES THE W. E. SCOVILLE PLACE

The Christian Church officials of this city have purchased the W. E. Scoville property at the corner of Second and Respass streets and within the near future their purpose is to erect a modern and up-to-date church building thereon in keeping with the growth and progress of this well-known denomination in North Carolina. For several weeks this real estate deal has been intimated and notwithstanding that the Daily News was aware of it, this paper could not give it publicity until everything pertaining to the transfer had been fully consummated. The property is most desirable containing a

TEMPERANCE UNION MEETS THIS AFTERNOON

All the members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. Olivia Carmalt on Respass street this afternoon at five o'clock. Business of importance is to be transacted and every member is urged to be present. This organization is doing a fine work not only in Washington, but throughout North Carolina. The organization here is among the very best in the state.

SEN. OVERMAN SPEAKS HERE ON OCTOBER 10

Hon. Lee S. Overman, United States senator from North Carolina, is to address the citizens of Washington and Beaufort County at the Court House, this city, on the evening of October 10. Senator Overman is one of the first speakers in the State and the announcement of his coming to this city is hailed with genuine pleasure. He will be greeted by a large audience. He will discuss the political issues of the day.

LUNA HIDE HER FACE

Washington, D. C., Sept. 26.—On servers of the celestial spheres were up and astir before the first crowing of the rooster this morning to witness the partial eclipse of the moon. In this vicinity, it is true, the spectators were somewhat skeptical regarding the eclipse, for the reason that the time when the moon entered the shadow of the earth was so close to the hour of daybreak that no observations of value could be taken. In the far western part of the country the chances to view the salient features of the eclipse were much better.

GONE TO NORTHERN MARKETS.

Mr. T. W. Phillips, of the firm of T. W. Phillips & Co., left yesterday for northern markets. The military opening of this well-known firm is to take place tomorrow and all the ladies of the city are cordially invited to call, any hour during the day.

TRAINLOAD OF BINDER TWINE

Boston, Mass., Sept. 26.—A cordage company of Plymouth has started a special train of thirteen cars of binder twine for Wainwright, from which point it is to be distributed among the wheat fields of the Canadian West. Each car contains 1000 bales of twine, the total tonnage amounting to 550,000 pounds, which is sufficient to handle thousands of acres of wheat.

CAPTAIN LITTLER ILL.

Universal regret is expressed throughout the city upon the knowledge that Captain W. H. Littler, one of Washington's esteemed citizens, is indisposed at his home on West Second street. It is to be hoped that he will soon be convalescent.

DEM. CONVENTION HERE TOMORROW

The Democratic County Convention for Beaufort County is to meet in the Court House, this city, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock for the purpose of nominating the respective county candidates to fill the respective offices for the next two years. The convention will be called to order by the county chairman, Mr. Lindsay C. Warren. It is expected that a large number of delegates and visitors will be in attendance. A great assembling of Democrats is looked for.

FARMERS UNION PICNIC AN ENJOYABLE ONE

Yesterday was a great day at Old Ford. At least five hundred people were present attending the basket picnic and Farmers Union meeting. To the regret of all present President Alexander could not be present, but he was well represented by Mr. Crowder, a member of the executive committee of the State Farmers' Union. The speaker of the day was oratorically introduced by Captain Geo. J. Studdert. The good ladies of the neighborhood served a dinner long to be remembered. The entire day was one of pleasure and enjoyment. Farmers from different sections of the county were present and no similar occasion was more beneficial.

PENDLETON'S ROUND-UP CARNIVAL

Pendleton, Ore., Sept. 26.—Pendleton's annual Round-up carnival got under way today under conditions of a most favorable character. The city is crowded with visitors who have come from all over the Northwest to witness the competitions and take part in the festivities. The United States, Canada and Mexico have sent their most expert riders and jockeys to compete for the championship honors and cash prizes aggregating several thousand dollars.

IS OUT AGAIN.

Mr. L. T. Grantham, one of the clever and accommodating clerks at the Taylor Drug Store, who has been indisposed for the past few days, is able to resume his duties to the delight of his many friends.

FEDERAL BUILDING DEDICATED.

Pana, Ill., Sept. 26.—Pana's new federal building, which was recently completed at a cost of \$70,000, was dedicated today with interesting exercises. Former Congressman Ben F. Caldwell, of Springfield, delivered the dedication address.

SOCIOLOGICAL WORK.

The following editorial appeared in the Kinston Free Press of recent date. Doubtless it will be read with interest by our readers:

An organization whose announced purpose is to make a study of sociological questions met Wednesday in Raleigh for preliminary work. It was presided over by Mr. Clarence Poe and the secretary was Dr. W. S. Rankin; and others in attendance were: J. Y. Joyner, Miss Daisy Denison, of Raleigh; Dr. L. B. McBrayer, of Asheville; W. H. Swift of Greensboro, and Prof. M. L. Kesler, of the Baptist Orphanage, Thomasville.

A great work can be accomplished in this way and the personnel of the proposed organization suggests success from the beginning; and the results obtained will no doubt be helpful to us in many ways.

It is interesting to note that the question of feeble mindedness and the problem of the feeble-minded is going to be treated by Dr. L. B. McBrayer, of Asheville. Dr. McBrayer is well qualified and will push the work. He is a member of the trustees of the North Carolina school for the feeble-minded, located here, of which school Dr. J. M. Hardy is superintendent. Dr. Hardy while urging the passage of the bill which established this great institution, met Dr. McBrayer and so interested him that he became such an ardent supporter of the measure and Governor Kitchin appointed him a trustee, when the school was authorized.

Special credit is due Dr. Hardy for the effort already put forth in bringing this sociological question to the front. And the work done by the state sociological society, yet without a name, will assist greatly in the solution of all these problems.

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NOT A VERY WIDE SWATH. From the New York World.

BEN VANN GUILTY OF MURDER AND IS GIVEN 25 YEARS

Elizabeth City, N. C., Sept. 26.—B. F. Vann, the confessed slayer of Oliver Layden, whose dead body was found in the woods near this city about a month ago, was yesterday found guilty of murder in the second degree and the court immediately sentenced the prisoner to twenty-five years in the penitentiary.

Vann's counsel noted an appeal to the Supreme Court and Judge Lane fixed the convicted man's bond at \$5,000.

The jury retired shortly after Judge Lane had concluded instructing them.

Vann's testimony that he killed Oliver Layden in self-defense during a quarrel over a small debt is believed by many to have saved him from the electric chair.

The prisoner was brought in court about 9:30 yesterday morning after the jury had announced that it had reached a verdict during the night.

For the first time during the entire trial his mother and sister were absent. Of his counsel Judge George Ward and W. M. Bond were with him.

Vann stood up to hear the verdict without a perceptible tremor with much of the apparent indifference which has characterized his manner throughout the trial.

Later he heard sentence passed on him without the slightest expression on his countenance.

Judge Lane declared that he had not allowed himself to be swayed by public sentiment, nor had he been carried away by his sympathies.

The sentence he was about to impose, he said, would end the prisoner's life as a man, but would still leave him an opportunity to come out and do something to redeem his past life.

Mr. Bond, for the prisoner, made the formal motion that the verdict be set aside and a new trial granted on errors to be assigned. This motion was denied by the court.

BILL VENTILATING IS GREAT SUCCESS

Without air we are fully convinced that we cannot live, and experience teaches us that fresh air is the great factor of long lives. Air since its existence is not only used for living purposes, as some of the greatest machinery to day is operated by air. Railroad companies have proved that air was another factor in saving lives from awful wrecks.

One of the greatest systems that has ever been operated here is the "Bill Ventilating System" now in use at the Lyric, and we are safe in saying that it is one of the most comfortable theatres in the State during the hot weather where air is beyond price.

Since this system has been installed at the Lyric the increase of patronage has been proven time and time again, and it would simply mean small houses if this system was not in operation. During the extreme warm weather we have met during this season no complaint could be heard from hot weather, and this was proven during last week when the house was well filled and owing to a spring breaking on the motor that drives it, there was a sudden cut off of 2,400 cubic feet of air every minute, as result the patrons were forced to leave to get fresh air.

This system is very simple and operated by electricity, and was made and patented by Capt. David Hill, of this city, to whom every theatre manager owes honors that has not a system of this kind installed.

The Lyric is always noted for its popularity due to comfort provided, and ventilation claims its success.

Elder Sylvester Hassel, of Williamston, N. C., was in the city today. Elder Hassel is one of the Primitive Baptist church's noted men, both as a scholar and preacher. His many friends was glad to see him.

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FOOTBALL PROSPECTS AT STATE UNIVERSITY FOR COMING SEASON

WORLD SERIES WILL OPEN OCTOBER 8

New York, Sept. 26.—The opening game of the world's baseball series will be held in this city on Tuesday, October 8. The games will alternate between here and Boston, one game in each city until the series is concluded.

The Boston club will control the sale of tickets in that city. This is a victory for Ben Johnson in the American League.

The umpires selected were: National League, Klem and Rigler; American League, O'Loughlin and Evans.

The toss of a coin decided which city was to get the opening game. A second toss, with similar result, fixed the opening game for Tuesday, October 8. The Boston club preferred Monday, October 7.

In New York the sale of tickets will be handled by the National Commission. Boston has worked out a plan, it was announced, whereby tickets will be delivered, so far as is practicable, to persons who have already made application. Their applications have been filed and they will be notified to send the money. Tickets good for three games each will be issued.

To Check "Scalping."
In New York, with a view to defeating the speculators the only seats reserved will be a block of 5,500 in the upper grandstand. Seats in the lower grandstand and bleachers will be sold at the Polo Grounds and each person purchasing a ticket must pass directly into the grounds.

In the event of rain it was decided that the visiting team should remain in town until the game is played.

Among the reserved seats will be a block of 75 for the National Commission; two each for each member of the opposing teams and not over fifty tickets for representatives of the local papers.

The number to be allotted to out-of-town correspondents was not announced. The list will be approved by the Baseball Writers' Association.

President Herrmann, of the National Commission, who was spokesman for the conferees, added that "every effort would be made to prevent tickets from falling into the hands of speculators."

PROMISING DIVINE AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. R. D. Brickhouse, of Creswell, N. C., is to fill the pulpit of the First Baptist Church, this city, next Sunday morning and evening and the Sunday following. Mr. Brickhouse takes the place of the pastor, who is away on his annual vacation. Rev. Mr. Brickhouse preached here several Sundays ago and charmed the congregation and unless something unforeseen happens he will be greeted by large congregations on next Sunday.

CONCRETE SIDEWALK.

Mr. H. H. Satterthwaite, the Respass street grocer, is having placed in front of his family grocery an up-to-date concrete sidewalk. It will add greatly to the appearance of his already attractive place of business.

REV. ROBERT HOPE INDISPOSED.

The many friends of Rev. Robert V. Hope, pastor of the Christian Church, will regret to learn of his indisposition.

LIVELY BOAT EXPECTED.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 26.—Quaker City fight fans are looking forward to a lively bout at the Olympia Club tomorrow night when Billy Papke, the "Illinois Thunderbolt," and Leo Houck, of Lancaster, will mix it up for six rounds. Houck has many ardent admirers in the vicinity and they confidently expect that he will be able to hold his own against the former middleweight champion. The bout will be the last in which Papke will engage before he sails for Paris to meet George Carpentier, the French champion.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS IN TODAY'S NEWS

- J. F. Buckman & Son.
- James R. Clark.
- Lyric.
- Postum Cereal Co.
- H. H. Satterthwaite.
- Capudine.
- E. C. Training School.
- H. Clarke and Sons.
- J. L. O'Quinn.
- Wilson Freckle Cream.
- T. W. Phillips & Co.

TWO WASHINGTON BOYS MAKING GOOD IS THE STATEMENT

Introduction of the Alumni Coaching System at Carolina. Outlook Bright.

(Special Correspondence.)
Chapel Hill, N. C., Sept. 26.—What is regarded as the first step toward the adoption of an alumni system of coaching will be given a trial here during the football season.

It is Captain Tillet's plan to have at least one alumnus coach on the field at all times to give whatever advice he can, and particularly to arouse the spirit of the squad and incidentally of the entire University.

In pursuance of this plan the following former Carolina stars have been asked to come to Chapel Hill at various times during the season.

Jacocks, Carolina's best football player; Simmons, George Stephens, "Bull" Thompson, John A. Parker, Max Gardner, Sprunt Newton, William Fisher, George Graham, George Thomas, Bob Reynolds, Albert Cox, "Doggie" Trenchard and Roach Stewart.

Coach Simmons, who formerly coached Davidson College, will be here during this week. The outcome of the new coaching system will be watched with much interest. If it is successful it is very probable that a complete system of alumni coaching will be adopted in the near future.

Captain Tillet's call for football players was answered by 64 men. These men will be under Head Coach Nat Cartwell, Field Coach William C. Martin and Assistant Coach J. J. Henderson.

It is extremely difficult to say just what Carolina's prospects are for a good team. Although the squad is not heavy, yet it is a hard working and fighting aggregation.

The "N. C." men that are out for the team are: Capt. Tillet, quarterback; Wakely, full back; Strange and Applewhite, ends, and Abernathy, tackle. The following substitutes of last year's Varsity are again upon the field: Erwin, Huske, Long, Johnson and "Little" Abernathy.

Prominent among the new men are: Garrison, a husky line man from Bingham; Dorch, a big line man from Elon College; Charles Moore, center, from Maury High School, Norfolk, Va. Moore, on account of being light, has been shifted to end and is showing up well. He is remarkable for his aggressiveness. From the beginning of the first quarter to the end of the game he fights hard and is always after the man with the ball. Taylor, a 175-pound half-back, from Bingham, has been on the sick list for several days, but is past recuperating and expects to don the mole skins Tuesday. Taylor is very fast and will make a good running mate for "Speed" Wakely, Smith, Walton, Pendergraph, Blacklock, Foust and Bagwell, of last year's class teams.

Allen Moore will not be seen with the Varsity this season, owing to heavy work in the Medical Department.

The preliminary practice is about ended and hard scrimmaging will soon be seen on University field.

The opening game will be played with Horner, September 28th, at Chapel Hill.

The following is the football schedule:

Sept. 28—Horner at Chapel Hill.
Oct. 5—Davidson at Charlotte.
Oct. 12—Wake Forest at Chapel Hill.

Oct. 19—Bingham at Chapel Hill.
Oct. 26—V. P. I. at Raleigh or Winston.

Nov. 2—Georgetown at Richmond.
Nov. 9—South Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Nov. 16—Washington & Lee at Greensboro.
Nov. 26—Virginia at Richmond.

VICTORIA AWAITS CONNAUGHT.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 26.—The city of Victoria has donned gala attire in anticipation of the arrival here tomorrow of the Duke of Connaught and his party. The distinguished visitors are to remain in this city and vicinity for six days, during which time there will be numerous features of splendid entertainment in their honor.